

STONE &amp; THOMAS

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## Ladies' Jackets.

Your choice now from our entire stock of Ladies' Cloth Jackets, that sold from \$15.00 to \$40.00,

AT EACH, \$4.98.

## OUR ANNUAL

## Carpet Remnant Sale

Takes Place Next Monday, Feb. 5.

FULL PARTICULARS IN SUNDAY'S PAPERS.

## STONE &amp; THOMAS.

# PRING AND SUMMER.

What shall we wear? An inspection of this store's growing collection of Silks, Dimities, Zephyrs and kindred materials will be ever so helpful in solving this vexatious question.

We're ready to SHOW.  
Are you ready to LOOK?

## A Silk Item

that tells of one of those effective Americanized Japanese creations. The silk itself is lustrous and just weighty enough to assure good wear without bulkiness. The design is rather neat and clear cut, consisting of black thread-like lines, crossing each other, forming irregular medium sized between spaces. Attached to these lines are neat oblate or pear-shaped figures with black outlines and white centres. Ground colors are Lilac, Grey, Beige and Cardinal.

## A Satin Raye Item.

One of those soft, new Silk and Linen combinations, almost as lustrous as silk, but sheer as an Organdie. Stripes that show a generous inch of clear surface, and an equal amount broken up with neat satin stripes, lined up with still neater cords. The same material with dull stripes substituted for the satin ones, is called Cote de Soie. Colors are all solid—both black and white included in the range.

## A Cordele Item.

This material is a cross between Zephyr and Organdie. Stripes showing one-half inch of white alternated with one inch of clear color—the color broken by numerous well defined white cords. Strong Pink, Blue and Lavender combinations. Colors are fast because made by David and John Anderson, Glasgow, Scotland.

We quote no prices on any of these,  
but you'll find them right.

**Geo. M. Snook & Co.**  
1110-12-14 MAIN  
THROUGH TO THE MARKET.

NAY BROTHERS SHOES

20....  
Per Cent  
Discount

On All Men's Winter  
SHOES.

This sale includes our famous  
lines—

"STETSON"  
"ROYAL"

Reliable Shoes Only.

NAY BROS., 1317  
Market St.

## The Intelligencer

Office: \$5 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

For Rent—Howard Hazlett & Son.

For Sale—G. O. Smith.

Wanted—Sales Ladies.

Coughs and Colds Cannot Exist—Third

Page.

Opera House—A Milk White Flag.

Grand Opera House—The Limited Mail.

Trustee's Sale—Benjamin S. Allison.

Baker—Laidy from Vienna, Austria.

Agents Wanted to Sell White and Fancy

Rubber Collars, etc.—Third Page.

New Goods—Thomas Hughes Company—

Second Page.

Mutual Savings Bank—Fifth Page.

Your Fortune Told—Second Page.

Ladies' Jackets—Stone & Thomas—

Eighth Page.

\$5.00 Trunks for \$3.98—McFadden's—Sec-

ond Page.

Spring and Summer—Geo. M. Snook &

Co.—Eighth Page.

Wash Fabrics—Geo. E. Stifel & Co.—

Third Page.

Finest Cutlery Grinding.

New Books—Stanton's Old City Book

Store.

A Bargain—Geo. W. Johnson's Sons.

That Cough—R. H. List.

Developing and Printing—W. C. Brown.

\$50 Invested on Stock Exchange.

30,000.

We have fitted more than twenty

thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us

a record and experience unequalled by

any other optician in West Virginia.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GIBB, Optician.

No. 1308 Market Street.

## SPRING OPENING.

Suits made to order at popular

prices. Bright novelties in Foreign

and Domestic Woolens.

C. HESS & SONS,

Fashionable Tailors and Fine Fur-

nishers, 1321-1323 Market St.

## BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given

in a Nutshell.

Colder weather to-day.

Lent was ushered in yesterday.

Matinee at the Grand this afternoon.

To-day is pay-day for the fire depart-

ment.

Pythian Knighthood was in flower

last night.

Dr. Howard tells "Why Episcopal-

ians Keep Lent."

Grand to-night—Peruchl-Beldini com-

pany in repertoire.

The council committee on ordinances

meets this evening.

Hoy's "A Milk White Flag" is the

next Opera House attraction.

Cards will be a special attraction at

the Loan Exhibition this evening.

The regular March term of the crim-

inal court, Judge Hughs on the bench,

will open Monday.

The election officers and "Dewey

Day" special police will be paid by City

Clerk O'Brien to-day.

A special term of Judge Melvin's

court will be held Saturday, not on Fri-

day, as stated erroneously.

Sentiment appears to favor an early

date for the Republican primary elec-

tion. The last week in April has the

call.

The council committee on finance is

called to meet Thursday evening. A

start will be made on the annual appro-

propriation ordinance.

Frank Crawford was fined \$25 and

costs and sentenced to thirty days in

jail, for jumping a board bill, yester-

day, by Squire Fitzpatrick.

Railroad construction in West Vir-

ginia this year may break all records.

A list of roads projected is given in an-

other column this morning.

The new frame structure of Louis

Bishoffs, on Forty-third street, is rap-

idly nearing completion. It will add

greatly to the architectural beauty of

that part of the city.

Persons intending to go to Parkers-

burg March 8 for the Republican league

meeting, are asked to leave their names

with County Chairman Hornish in or-

der to secure a rate of \$2 35 for the

round trip.

Frank Schlosser, an expressman, was

arrested by Special Officer W. M.

Johnson, and brought before Squire

Hogers yesterday, charged with hav-

ing assaulted a boy, named John Mc-

Creary, at the Pewkey station, and he

was discharged with a reprimand.

The many friends of Mrs. Minnie

Bell, formerly of this city, were grieved

to learn of her death, which occur-

ed at 9:20 o'clock Wednesday morn-

ing, at her home in Mountsville. Fu-

neral services will be conducted by

Rev. Spurr to-day at 2:30 p. m. Inter-

ment at Mt. Rose cemetery, private.

Last night the police were informed

that two girls, inmates of the Children's

Home, had left the institution. A

search was instituted, and one was

found in the rear of 70 Eighteenth

street, and returned to the home. She

said she was tired and concluded to run

away. The other child, about twelve

years of age, had not been found last

night.

A termination came yesterday to the

Custer-Entlinger cases. The charges of

cruelty to Mrs. Sophia Entlinger, pre-

ferred against Henry and Della Cus-

ter, were heard by Squire Fitzpatrick,

and Mrs. Custer was fined \$5 and costs,

the case against her husband being

dismissed. The lunacy charge against

Mrs. Entlinger came before Squire

Hogers, who dismissed it after hearing

the evidence of the examining physi-

cians. It was brought out that an in-

jury to Mrs. Entlinger came from a fall

on a door step, instead of from a blow

inflicted by Custer or his wife.

## Dunlap Hat Opening.

I will, on Saturday, March 3, open a

full line of Dunlap's latest spring blocks

of Silks, Derby, and Soft Hats for

spring or summer wear. Also the Lam-

son & Hubbard, Guyer and all other

leading makes and shapes for up to date

dresses. Call and see the correct

shapes and colors.

I am sole agent for the Dunlap and

Lamson & Hubbard brands.

C. S. NOBLE,

41 Twelfth street.

ATTEND the social and entertain-

ment at the United Presbyterian

church, Friday evening, March 3. Ad-

mission, 10 cents; Children under 12,

free. Ice cream, cake and home-made

candy for sale.

## A STUMBLING BLOCK IS NOW ENCOUNTERED

If Hopes Are Entertained That the  
Refund Election Recount Will  
Change the Result.

## CAPITAL WILL NOT INVEST

In the Bonds if There is Any Doubt  
at All of the Result Being  
Entirely Legal.

The special committee of council to which was delegated the task of re-counting the votes cast at the special refund election last Saturday, has not yet met to organize and begin its work, and a member of the committee, Councilman John K. List, of the Second ward gives it as his opinion that the committee would never meet.

"How is that?" was the inquiry, when the councilman made this surprising statement, during the meeting of the committee on health last night.

"Why, simply this," replied Mr. List, "capital will not invest in the refund bonds if there is any doubt of the legality of the recount—providing, of course, that the recount were to show sufficient changes to carry the refund by the required three-fifths majority. In my opinion, it is the better plan to re-submit the refund issue to the people of the city at another special election."

Mr. List added that he was sure capital generally would hold the view he expressed, and decline to bid on the bonds if they are authorized only through a recount of the votes at the election of last Saturday.

## ENLARGED CREMATORY

Decided Upon by the Board of Health.

United States Fertilizer Co. Notifies  
the Committee That it is Out of It.  
Location Discussed.

Last night a meeting of the board of health was held, at which the garbage disposal situation was discussed. Those present included Chairman John K. List, Councilmen Williams, Watson, Beckett and Meyer, and City Engineer White, City Solicitor Nesbitt, Health Officer Jepson and Superintendent of the Crematory Serig.

Without even considering the United States Fertilizer Company, which some time ago entered into a contract to handle the city's garbage, the board proceeded to discuss ways and means of placing the city's own crematory in shape to handle all the garbage that will be offered the coming spring, summer and fall.

The committee decided to enlarge the present crematory one-half its present dimensions, giving it a capacity of three holes, instead of two as at present. City Engineer White was instructed to visit the plant, in company with Expert N. C. Hamilton, and to prepare plans and secure bids. When this has been done Chairman List will call another meeting of the board.

Then there was an interesting discussion as to the advisability of moving the crematory to another location. Health Officer Jepson said he had been informed that the present garbage collector would not be a bidder for the contract this year, owing to the expense and difficulty attending the delivery of garbage to the crematory. He believed the bids would be higher than the present contract.

Chairman List spoke of the old stone quarry on the Peninsula, near the Baltimore & Ohio tunnel, as an excellent site.

Mr. Beckett remarked that council had already had one scrap over proposed removal to the Sixth ward, and he didn't relish another.

Mr. List said only the Fourth ward councilmen would possibly object to the Peninsula location.

"I wouldn't care if every garbage cart in town went past my door," remarked Dr. Jepson.

Solicitor Nesbitt presented the following fast fond adieu from the United States Fertilizer Company:

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 31, 1900.  
Mr. F. W. Nesbitt, City Solicitor.

DEAR SIR:—Responding, on the behalf of the United States Fertilizer Company, to your letter of January 25, addressed to that company, I am directed to say that the company has not been able to erect and complete the utilization plant, mentioned in your letter, in accordance with the agreement with the city of Wheeling, and that it fears that it will not be able to do so. With great respect, I am yours very truly, HENRY M. RUSSELL,  
Attorney for U. S. Fertilizer Co.

The solicitor was instructed to take steps to secure the removal of the United States company's unsightly plant from city property on the side of Wheeling hill.

It is understood that the United States company's new process, from which so much had been expected, is shown to be a failure—hence the action of the company in withdrawing from its agreement with the city.

## Progressive Euchre Party at the City Hospital Loan Exhibition.

There will be a progressive euchre party for ladies and gentlemen at the Loan Exhibit, THURSDAY EVENING, from 8 to 10 o'clock. All are invited. Players will be charged only 25 cents each.

General admission to the Exhibit, 25 cents. Art Gallery, 10 cents extra. Ice cream, cake and cigars.



When you feel that you have tried everything and everyone, consult us. A daily occurrence is the surprise shown by the beneficiaries of our office.

Do you have headaches? Do your eyes water? Do they smart or burn? Does the print run together when reading?

For a trouble of your eyes consult us. We make glasses at popular prices. Make a careful examination free of charge.

PROF. H. SHEEP,

The Scientific Optician.....

Cor. Main and Eleventh Sts.

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You Are Not Taking a Chance Nor Depending  
Upon Good Luck When You Buy Here.

We sell you dependable merchandise at prices that dare most of our competitors, and if the goods are not to your fancy after you reach home, you can always be sure to get your cash back when you ask for it. No store on earth can be more reasonable or treat you better. If we did not sell the best goods at the lowest prices, we could never afford to make such offers. There is no guess work about it—it is not our custom to guess at anything. We are absolutely sure of every dollar's worth of goods we buy, and absolutely sure of everything we sell. Your hard earned dollars go farther at this popular store than anywhere else. It's the principle of giving values and fair treatment that has brought us the splendid patronage we are enjoying every day.

## Every Day Here is a Bargain Day.

We are already showing thousands of Men's Spring Suits. Thousands of Boys' Spring Suits. New Shirts. New Furnishings.

Not an advance price in the entire line. Our spring orders were placed six months ago for double our usual stock. We bought before the advance. We always sell as we buy.

## ONE PRICE—MONEY BACK.

## THE HUB,

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Clothiers, Hatters, Furnishers.

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BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

BAER'S \* Twelfth Street  
Clothing House.

We are merchants, not speculators. Markets rise and fall—we simply do our best toward getting dependable clothing at least possible prices.

We could lock up all the heavy weight Suits and Overcoats we own, and make money by keeping them till next winter. Instead we have

Reduced Prices a  
Third at Least,

and shall sell out every heavy Suit and Overcoat we own. Cloth is dearer, all the trimmings that go into clothing are dearer; advances run from 25 to 60 per cent. But what we have cost us the old price. Our spring stock is now coming in and we clear for action, getting rid of ever Winter Suit and Overcoat we have left.

## LEE BAER,

The Twelfth Street Clothier.

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